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January 3rd, 1906.

Messrs. S. H. & H. Chapman,

1428 Pine St., Phila., Pa.

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I take it that in presenting me with the enclosed slip, you were not living up to the agreement. If you are not satisfied with the agreement, and do not care to continue the work in accordance with its provisions, please let me hear from you to that effect, so that the agreement may be cancelled when you have completed the catalogue of the second section, and I have settled with you for the work that you have done.

Very truly yours,

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January 4, 1906.

Robert Garrett, Esq.,

Dear Sir:-

We are sending you to-day the Second and Seventh Sections of your Catalogue, to Princeton.

As far as we know you are now in Princeton.

Very truly yours,

S. H. & H. Chapman

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Robert Garrett, Esq., Dr.

To Messrs. S. H. & H. Chapman.

To professional services in cataloging Sections Two and Seven of his Collection of American coins, according to agreement of 3rd day of July, 1905.

Section 2- Coins of the United States.	$714.28
Section 7- Pattern Coins of the United States.	714.28
	$1428.56

This completes the cataloging of the coins of the United States.

Received Payment,

H. H. Chapman

Robert Garrett
Baltimore
1906

January 10, 1906.

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1st month 6th, 1906.

Mr. Robert Garrett

Dear Sir:-

Your letter of Jan. 3rd received. When Mr. S. H. Chapman handed you the list with memorandum of the number of pieces removed on Dec. 16th he did not consider it necessary to obtain from you the written counter-assent as he handed it to you in person and you took it from his hands and said nothing. In future if we consider it advantageous to remove coins to expedite the work we will always obtain your written consent.

We have no coins of yours in our possession except the 1837 tokens which belong to the section succeeding, American medals and tokens for which we have given full receipt and have your full consent. All others have been returned and placed in their proper position and the entire collection as far as catalogued to date, that is to the end of the U. S. Coins has been thoroughly arranged.

When we had our last interview you may remember you questioned where the Colonial, State and early U. S. Coins were and I told you they were in trays below and had never been removed. On my succeeding visit I took them out of these trays and arranged them in their proper places. The second section is completed and the manuscript sent to Princeton day before yesterday and two days before all the coins were placed in position and arranged.

Yours respectfully,

H. C. Chapman

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January 6, 1906.

Supplementary to our letter of same date.

Robert Garrett, Esq.,

Dear Sir:-

On rereading your letter, we notice that you desire in the first paragraph that we embody what passed between us on December 16th. On December 16th the senior member of this firm requested permission to remove coins to catalogue from Mr. Robert Garrett personally, who gave his verbal consent, and Mr. Chapman gave him a receipt therefor as follows:

December 16, 1905.

Removed to catalogue:

36 Half Dimes,

53 Dimes.

(Signed) S. H. Chapman.

These coins have subsequently been returned, and placed in the Collection.

Very respectfully yours,

S. H. & H. Chapman

"Copy".

January 11, 1905.

Messrs. H. L. [illegible] Chapman,

Philadelphia, Pa.

57.

Dear Sirs:

I beg to thank you for your letter of the 6th inst. with which you enclosed one dated back to December 16, 1904. I am very glad to have this matter straightened out. Within a day or two I hope to be able to forward you a check covering your last statement.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) Robert Garrett.

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January 12, 1906.

Robert Garrett, Esq.,

Dear Sir:-

Your letter of January 11th received. We have already received the payment covering our last statement, and we sent acknowledgments to Baltimore, from where remittance came, and suppose you have forgotten or the Baltimore office has sent the payment directly.

We thank you for the remittance, and for your courteous note.

Yours respectfully,

S. H. & H. Chapman

January 15th, 1906.

Messrs. S. H. & H. Chapman,
1428 St. Paul St., Phila.

57.

Dear Sirs:-

I beg to refer to you the enclosed letter concerning a couple of medals. Will you look into this for me and let me know the value, if any, attached to them. Please return the enclosed letter with the information which you send.

Yours very truly,

[Rob G.]

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January 16, 1906.

Robert Garrett, Esq.,

Dear Sir:-

The Libertas Americana medal we have in stock in bronze as described by Mr. Lawshe, price $3 in fine condition, to $6 in perfect state, and $25 in silver. You probably have it in your Collection.

The Harrison medal is probably worth ten cents.

Very truly yours,

S. H. & H. Chapman

P. S. We are sending herewith a lot of Maryland notes, thinking there might be some, or all, of them of interest to you. The prices are marked on the back of each note, and you may select any you so desire.

35 notes, $10.75

"Copy".

57.

January 20, 1906.

Messrs. S. H. & H. Chapman,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sirs:

Thank you for your letter of the 16th inst., containing the information I sought concerning the medal owned by Mr. Lawshe. The Maryland notes which you enclosed with the latter are very interesting to me. I shall endeavor soon to look over them carefully and to see whether we have any of them in our collection.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) Robert Garrett.

April 10th, 1906.

57.

Messrs. S. H. & H. Chapman,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sirs:-

Will you kindly give me what information you can concerning the history, probable value and other facts pertaining to the medal described as follows:

It is two inches in diameter presumably on silver, inscribed in one side "NEW MARKET ENGINE COMPANY" with the form of an Indian standing, in relief, under which is "INSTITUTED 1803"; upon the reverse side the inscription reads "TOKEN-OF-FAIRMOUNT ENGINE-AND-SCHIFFLER HOSE COMPANIE'S-OF-PHILADELPHIA-AND-MOUNTAINEER HOSE CO.-OF-CUMBERLAND-MD."

The owner of this medal tells me that he paid $100 for it and that there were only three struck off all together, of which the one he has is the only one known. Please let me hear from you in regard to this at your convenience.

Yours very truly,

[Rob. G]

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4th month 10th, 1906.

Mr. Robert Garrett,

Dear Sir:-

Your favor of 10th received. While not absolutely certain that we have seen one of the silver medals, yet we have a slight recollection of seeing such an article some years ago. It was made we should judge probably about 1870 and they were given to visiting companies from Cumberland Maryland. While the man may have paid $100 as he states, it is likely there should be a punctuation mark after the figure 1 which would be about the amount we have charged for similar articles.

We recently secured two Baltimore pieces which we have laid aside to show you the next time we are in Princeton.

We are working at the present time, and just to-day spent most of the time cataloguing the Hard times Tokens belonging to your collection and expect to shortly visit Princeton and return them to their cabinet.

The large catalogue of the Smith sale has been an arduous undertaking and has consumed almost our undivided attention for the last three months. We have directed a letter to the Volunteer Firemen's Ass'n of this city asking if they can give us any further information about the medal you speak of and on receipt of their answer we will forward it to you. The following are the medals we have laid aside for you.

Odd Fellowship. Clasped hands, eye above, three links below. At top IN GOD WE TRUST. At bottom, FRIENDSHIP LOVE AND TRUTH. R I.O.O.F. SOVEREIGN

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GRAND LODGE CONVENTION BALTIMORE, MD. SEP 21-26 1903. Bronze. Price 75¢.

Another, same obverse. R 75th ANNIVERSARY OF ODD FELLOWSHIP HELD AT BALTIMORE. MD. APRIL 26 1894 Bronze. price 75¢

Baltimore Female College, Rare. price $1.

Yours very truly,

S. H. & H. Chapman

"Copy".

April 25, 190[illegible].

Messrs. S. H. & H. Chapman,

Philadelphia, Pa.

57.

Dear Sirs:

Thank you for yours of the 18th of April. I am glad to have the information you furnish concerning the medal about which I wrote to you. I should be glad to see the medals which you have laid aside for me though they do not appeal to me very much.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) Robert Garrett.

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4th month 30th, 1906.

Robert Garrett, Esq.,

Dear Mr. Garrett:

√. (will not be here, but will be glad to see at. in B. - trust that I can meet any purchases.)

What day this week, with the exception of Saturday, could you see me if I come to Princeton and bring a plate catalogue of the great Smith collection, which we sell next Tuesday? There are pieces in that sale which would add to your splendid collection, and we would like to see you in reference to it. The sale is peremptory, and everything will be disposed of. It is such a great opportunity to secure some of these great rarities, that it would be a pity to see it pass without your having some of them.

Very respectfully yours,

S. H. & H. Chapman

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5th month 2nd, 1906.

Mr. Robert Garrett,

Dear Sir:-

Your letter was duly received and we sent you to Baltimore yesterday one of the plate catalogues. The great rarity of the collection which is the only gold coin your collection lacks, is No. 210 1832 half eagle. Of the entire set of United States gold coins with of course exception of a few of the later pieces in the 50s this is the only early gold coin which your collection lacks. The only other specimen known is in the collection of Mr. Virgil M. Brand which will probably never be sold and the one in the Mint collection which is of course out of the market and it would prove a great acquisition to your splendid collection and we should be glad to see you the purchaser of it. As to what it will bring, it is a most difficult problem to guess from the fact that the piece has but once been offered at auction, this identical one in the Parmelee sale in 1890 where it brought $900. and we look forward to it even bringing a greater sum to-day. In fact it is almost impossible to tell what it will bring as we know of several great collectors who would like to possess it. Should you wish to bid for it, we should like a fairly definite limit named by you and we would buy it as much under as possible. The other coins in the sale which would add to your collection are enumerated on the enclosed list.

Yours truly,

S. H. & H. Chapman

ROBERT GARRETT

Lot No.

1 $30 to $50.
5 $20
45 You have one of same type, different die $50 to $75
124 A great rarity. $100 to $150.
208 You have square base. $35 to $50.
210 A Great rarity. $800 up to $1500.
1315 You have the one without silver center
1318 You have gold also copper.
1326 You have not. $50.
1334 You have not. $50.
1336 You have not $5.
1341 You have ~~not~~ in gold $1.50
1342 You have not. $25.
1344 You have not. $10.
1358 You have not. $1.
1359 You have not. $150.
1365 You have not. $25 to $50.
1369 You have not. $2.
1371 You have not. $2.
1372 You have not. $5 to $7.
1374 You have not. $3 to $5.
1375 You have not. $2.50.
1376 You have not. $2.50.
1378 You have not. $2.
1379 You have not. $5.
1380 You have it in copper. $15.
1385 You have not. $25.
1387 You have not. $2.
1389 You have not. $25.
1392 You have not. $7.
1393 You have not. $5 to $7.
1403 You have one in nickel. $3.
1404 You have one in copper. $3.
1407 You have the dollar set. $25.
1411 You have with plain edges.
1416 You lack this set. $25.
1418 You lack this set. $50 to $100.
1419 You lack this set $50 to $100.

Robert Garrett, Con't, No. 2

Lot No.		
1420	You lack this set	$50.
1421	You lack this set	$100.
1426	You lack this set	$10.
1427	" " " "	$10.
1429	" " " "	$6.
1430	" " " "	$50 to $100.
1431	" " " "	$50 to $100.
1439	" " " "	$5. to $10.
1440	" " " "	$5 to $10.
1447	" " " "	$20.
1456	You have Aluminium	$100 to $150.
1463	You lack this set	$50 to $100.
1464	" " " "	$5 to $10.
1465	" " " "	$5.
1470	" " " "	~~$70.~~ $25

1612 to 1674 Are you interested in this set? If so will see what you <u>lack</u> and if you say so buy them. Prices range $2 to $10 each.

1721 You have.
1730 A grand piece. $30.
1744 $25.
1746 $25.
1748 $15.
1749 $3.
2295 $10.

May 5th, 1906.

57.

Messrs. S. H. & H. Chapman,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sirs:-

I beg to thank you for sending me the portion of the catalogue of patterns in our collection which was unintentionally not forwarded to me.

I am sorry that I do not care to bid on the Half-Eagle of 1822, as I do not feel in a position to spend much money on the collection at present.

I am interested in the almanac printed in Baltimore and shall consider the matter further. I shall endeavor to let you hear from me again upon this subject in the near future.

If there are any of the lots in the long list which you furnish me that I care to send in a bid for, I shall let you know.

Yours very truly,

[Rob G.]

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1348 Pine Street,
Philadelphia, 6th month 13th, 1906.

Mr. Robert Garrett,

Dear Sir:-

We have one of the engraved certificates of life membership in the American Colonization Society, dated Washington May 17th 1832 and signed by Charles Carroll of Carrollton as President and attested by R. R. Gurley as Secretary. As Charles Carroll died in his 96th year in the autumn of the same year, it adds interest to it. The size of the plate is about 6 x 8 inches with outside margin. It cost us $20 and will sell for $22 if you wish it. Can send it on approval.

Yours truly,

J. S. Hoffman

"Copy".

57

July 12, 1901.

Messrs. [illegible] H. Chapman,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sirs:

Some time ago you wrote me concerning a membership certificate in the American Colonization Society. I was not able to consider this matter at once, but have now done so, and I regret to tell you that I do not care to purchase it.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) Robert Garrett.

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7th month 24th, 1906.

Robert Garrett, Esq.,

Dear Sir:-

We have now taken up the work of cataloguing your collection of coins at the Library at Princeton University again, and have commenced on the third and fourth sections of Ancient coins and the Foreign gold coins, either partner taking a series according to his specialty. We have them arranged, and have some catalogued, but we find it necessary to have permission to remove portions thereof. In fact it would be better if we had all of them, but will try to avoid it as much as possible. It is especially necessary to have the coins for identification with the references in numismatic books, and to do this we must have them near our numismatic library. Your collection is not as an European private collection would be; all arranged upon tags bearing the references, and we have to work from the very beginning. All the Roman coins should have their references to the works in the Republican series of Babelon, and in the Imperial series to that of Cohen.

Kindly forward your consent to the removal of the coins on the inclosed list, for which we hold ourselves responsible, as per the agreement, and oblige,

Yours respectfully,

S. H. & H. Chapman

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List of Coins to be Removed from the Garrett Collection for Cataloguing.

Philip II. Stater two - both false - for further examination.
Alexander - false struck forgery. Stater.
Alexander III. 6 obols and 1 diobel.
1 small electro coin.
6 pcs. small Greek silver. Æ
Ephesos tetradrachm.
Satraps of Persia at Tarsus. 3 tetradrachms and 2 obols.
Syria. Selucus I. Hemidrachm. Antiochus III. tetradrachm and 4 drachms, and 2 coppers. Selucus II. 4 drachms. Demetrius I and II. 5 drachms. Antiochus IV (?) Philip (2) Alexander II (2) Trajan. Lot 6 tetradrachms.
Judea shekel amd half shekel.
Parthia. 8 drachms. 1 tetradrachm. Sassanian.
Egypt. Ptolemy I as Governor. (1) Ptolemy II and III, and 3 tetradrachms and 2 coppers. Juba denarius.
Alexandria. Nero, rev. Poppaea, Rev. Ammon. Potin tetradrachm. Hadrian. 2 coppers.
Antioch. Aurelius. 1 didrachm.
Persia. 3 sigli.
Faustina Sr. Aureus 2.
Aurelius. Aureus 3.
Lucius Verus. Aureus 1.
Lucius Verus. 2 B.
Faustina Jr. Aureus, 1 B, 2 B.
Lucius Verus. Aureus, 2 B.
Lucilla. Aureus.
Commodus. Aureus 2, denarius 1.
Septimus Severus, denarius 1. Julia Domna, 1 B.
Caricalla, denarius.
Alexander Severus, denarius 2, 1 B.
Gordian III. Aureus, denarius 10.
Philip I. 1 B. Philip II. 1 B.
Trajanus Decius, denarius (3). 1 B.
Volusianus. Denarius.

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List of Coins to be Removed from the Garrett Collection.
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Constantius II. Aurius. Bust facing.
Valens (2), Theodosius I, II, Zeno, Valentinianus I, II, Honorius, Arcadius, Anastasius (2), Justinus, Justinianus, Constantius II (?), Constantine VI (?), Heraclius (?) (2), Focas, Constantine XI et ?, Constantine ? (2), Alexius ? (2) concavo-convex, Solidus. 24 pcs.
Byzantine. 1 silver. Poor.
20 pieces of denari of the Republican period. All common types, good to fine.

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8th month 7th, 1906.

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Mr. Robert Garrett,

Dear Sir:-

On 1/16 we sent to you on approval a small lot (35) Maryland notes amounting to $10.75 and as we have not heard from you with reference to them, the matter has no doubt escaped your attention. We believe you will now find them lying in one of the top drawers of the cabinet in the second section, at Princeton. We shall be glad to have your decision in the matter.

Yours very truly,

S. H. & H. Chapman

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8th month 7th, 1906.

Mr. Robert Garrett,

Dear Sir:-

On 7th month 24th we addressed you by letter, and requested for permission to remove ancient coins as per list inclosed herewith, and according to the agreement, for the purpose of cataloguing the same, but have not received your reply. If you have received the letter will you kindly give it your attention?

You may notice that we purposely omitted from it the very rare Septimus Severus Aureus. Reverse, head of the son. All the other pieces are examples that could be obtained, and think that in this series and in the other foreign series you may feel less anxious about them as compared with the United States, for they contain no unobtainable pieces, like the several unique or almost unique specimens which your collection possessed in the American coinage.

It is necessary for us to have these coins here to work upon, surrounded by our own numismatic books, and it seems particularly reasonable, as they are such portable material.

Awaiting your reply, we remain,

Respectfully yours,

S. H. & H. Chapman

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List of Coins to be Removed from the Garrett Collection for Cataloguing.

Philip II. Stater two - both false - for further examination.
Alexander - false struck forgery. Stater.
Alexander III. 6 obols and 1 diobol.
1 small electro coin.
6 pieces small Greek silver. AR
Ephesos tetradrachm.
Satraps of Persia at Tarsus. 3 tetradrachms and 2 obols.
Syria. Selucus I. Hemidrachm. Antiochus III. tetradrachm and 4 drachms, and 2 coppers. Selucus II. 4 drachms. Demetrius II. 5 drachms.
Antiochus IV (?) Philip (2) Alexander II (2) Trajan. Lot 6 tetradrachms.
Judea shekel and half shekel.
Parthia. 3 drachms and tetradrachm. Sassanian.
Egypt. Ptolemy I as Governor. (1) Ptolemy II and III, and 3 tetradrachms and 2 coppers. Juba denarius.
Alexandria. Nero. Rev. Poppaea, Rev. Ammon. Potin tetradrachm. Hadrian. coppers.
Antioch. Aurelius. 1 didrachm.
Persia. 3 sigli.
Faustina Sr. Aureus 2.
Aurelius. Aureus 3.
Lucius Verus. Aureus 1.
Lucius Verus 2 B.
Faustina Jr. Aureus, 1 B, 2 B.
Lucius Verus. Aureus, 2 B.
Lucilla. Aureus.
Commodus. Aureus 2, denarius 1.
Septimus Severus, denarius 1. Julia Domna, 1 B.
Caricalla, denarius.
Alexander Severus, denarius 2, 1 B.
Gordian III. Aureus, denarius 10.
Philip I. 1 B. Philip II, 1 B.
Trajanus Decius, denarius (3). 1 B.
Volusianus. Denarius.
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Byzantine. 1 silver. Poor.
20 pieces of denari of the Republican period. All common types, good to fine.

August 11th, 1906.

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Messrs. S. H. & H. Chapman,

1348 Pine St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sirs:-

I wish to acknowledge receipt of your two letters of the 7th inst. I am enclosing my check for $10.75 in payment for the lot of Maryland notes which I regret to say had almost escaped my attention.

I am sorry to have delayed you in your work of catalogu-ing the coins at Princeton, and hasten to grant herewith my permission to remove those mentioned in the list enclosed with your letter. I note that you have purposely omitted the very rare Septimus Severus Aureus from the list of those to be taken away by you.

Yours very truly,

[Rob G]

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REGISTERED CABLE ADDRESS: "CHAPMAN, PHILADELPHIA."

8th month 18th, 1906.

Mr. Robert Garrett,

Dear Sir:-

We are in receipt of your letter enclosing $10.75 for which we have given you credit.

Thanking you very much for remittance, we are,

Yours very truly,

S. H. & H. Chapman

September 14th, 1906.

Messrs. S. H. & H. Chapman,

Philadelphia, Pa.

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Dear Sirs:-

The enclosed impression is the best that I can make of a coin that has come to my attention. Please let me have any information concerning it that you can get, with its value.

The metal seems to be gold. On one side appears the engraved head with the inscription: "Maria . I . D . G . PORT -- -----ET . ALG . REGINA . 1791 . R . "; and on the other side a sort of shield.

Yours very truly,

Robert Cornell

[Rob G]

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REGISTERED CABLE ADDRESS: "CHAPMAN, PHILADELPHIA."

9th month 15th, 1906.

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Mr. Robert Garrett,

Dear Sir:-

Your favor of the 13th inst. inclosing rubbing of coin received. The coin in question is 1/2 Joe of Maria 1st of Portugal, struck at Rio for Brazil. The coin is an interesting piece owing to the bust of the Queen, but it is not rare. They usually retail from nine to ten dollars, and if we are not much mistaken there is one in your Collection at Princeton, where I hope very shortly to continue cataloguing the gold coins.

Very respectfully yours,

S H & H Chapman

September 17th, 1906.

Messrs. S. H. & H. Chapman,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sirs:-

I have your letter of the 15th inst. and desire to thank you for the information it contains concerning the coin about which I inquired.

Yours very truly,

[Rob G]

October 1st, 1906.

Messrs. S. H. & H. Chapman,

Philadelphia, Pa.

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Dear Sirs:-

I have received information from Dr. E. C. Richardson, Librarian at Princeton University, stating that he is anxious to get into the coin cases there. Just at this time, the key which you have to those cases seems to be the only one available. I shall be very much obliged if you will let Dr. Richardson have, at your earliest convenience, the use of this key for a short time.

Yours very truly,

TRANSCRIPTION

Messrs. S.H. &. H. Chapman Oct. 1st, 1906

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Yours very truly

(Robert Garrett)

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REGISTERED CABLE ADDRESS: "CHAPMAN, PHILADELPHIA."

10th month 2nd, 1906.

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Mr. Robert Garrett,

Dear Sir:-

On receipt of your letter of 1st to-day we have forwarded to Dr. E. C. Richardson, Librarian at Princeton University by registered mail the key to the coin cases as directed by you.

Am hoping to go over to the University some day this week to work on the foreign gold.

Yours very truly,

S. H. & H. Chapman

Oct. 18th, 1906.

Messrs. S. H. & H. Chapman,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sirs:-

Will you kindly read the enclosed letter and let me know the value of the coins mentioned in it, and also whether we have them in our collection? Please let me have the letter back when you are through with it.

Yours very truly,

TRANSCRIPTION

Oct. ~~10~~ 18th, 1906

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REGISTERED CABLE ADDRESS: "CHAPMAN, PHILADELPHIA.

10th month 19th, 1903.

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Mr. Robert Garrett,

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your letter of the 18th enclosing one from Mr. Lawshe, we can say that all the gold dollars therein mentioned are in your collection. As you have them, I take the liberty of enclosing a letter addressed to Mr. Lawshe which we thought possibly you would have no objection to.

Yours very truly,

S H & H Chapman

October 23rd, 1906.

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Messrs. S. H. & H. Chapman,

1628 Pine St., Phila., Pa.

Dear Sirs:-

I beg to thank you for your letter of the 19th inst. giving me the information concerning the coins which I desired.

In accordance with your request, I have forwarded your letter to Mr. Lawshe.

Yours very truly,

TRANSCRIPTION

October 23rd 1906

Messrs. S.H. &. H. Chapman,

[address]

Dear Sirs,

I beg to thank you for your letter of the 19th inst. giving me the information concerning the coins which I desired.

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October 23, 1906.

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Mr. Robert Garrett,

Dear Sir,

We hereby make application to remove for the purpose of Cataloguing about two hundred Roman Copper Coins of the Second to the Twelfth Centuries A.D. Will return to the Cabinet the Coins at present in our possession before removing the lot which is of small monetary value.

Yours respectfully,

S. H. & H. Chapman

October 25th, 1906.

Messrs. S. H. & H. Chapman,

Philadelphia, Pa.

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Dear Sirs:-

Your letter of the 23rd inst. has just been received. I am glad to grant permission to move the lot of about two hundred Roman Copper Coins of the Second to the Twelfth Centuries A.D. for the purpose of cataloguing, in accordance with you request, with the understanding that all coins you now have out will be returned to the cabinet before the new lot is taken.

Yours very truly,

[Robb.]

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57 Philadelphia, October 30, 1906.

Mr. Robert Garrett,

Baltimore. Md.

Dr.

To S. H. & H. Chapman for professional services

in cataloguing of the section of Greek and Roman Coins. 714.00

Received payment
S. H. & H. Chapman

Sect (3) = American Coins

N. B. All coins removed for cataloguing have been replaced and descriptive tag has been placed with each piece with reference to the authority in each series.

Pr. S H & H Chapman bill p 101 30 06

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Nov. 13th, 1906.

Messrs. S. H. & H. Chapman,

1518 Pine St., Phila., Pa.

Dear Sirs:-

I beg to enclose herewith a check for $714.00 in payment of your bill of the 30th of October for cataloguing the section of Greek and Roman coins.

Yours very truly,

Robert Garrett

Pres.

b G.]

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Announcement of the Sale of the Wilson Collection

PHILADELPHIA, 1st mo. the 23d, 1907.

DEAR SIR:

The splendid collection of the gold, silver and copper coins of the United States formed by the late David S. Wilson, Esq., of Pittsburgh, has been placed in my hands for sale at auction, and I expect to hold the sale February 27th and 28th. Mr. Wilson was one of the early collectors in this country.

It contains the largest collection of United States gold coins sold since the Cleaney sale, 1890, including all the rare dates excepting 1815 and 1822 half eagles, and, though it lacks these dates, it surpasses, for instance, the Smith collection in value on account of the magnificent series of gold proof sets from 1860 to date, and the more complete series of each denomination, particularly of the dollars, which is the most nearly complete set of the Mint marks ever offered.

The collection may be briefly summarized as follows:

Eagles.—1795 to 1804—1838 to date; 1797, 4 stars, Rev. small eagle; 1798.

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Quarter Eagles.—1796 to date, 1797, 1826, 1834 first type, extremely rare.

Three Dollars.—1854 to 1889, 1854 D, 1855 S, 1856 S, 1857 S, 1860 S, very rare.

Dollars.—1849 to 1889, 1854 D, 1854 S, 1855 S, 1858 D, 1861 D (of the last only three specimens known, and the first time ever offered at auction), 1870 S.

Gold Proof Sets from 1860 to date. Patterns, gold, 1836 dollar and 1879 $4.

Silver.—The collection lacks the rare dollars, but contains very fine specimens of the early dates, and proofs from 1854 down, as well as in the proof sets. The halves include 1795 (three superb uncirculated examples), 1796 (very good), 1797,

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and the quarters, many specimens in superb condition. The dimes and half dimes include many unusual examples; the 1804 dime is one of the finest known. Each series is replete with Mint marks.

The series of cents and half cents include some uncirculated and extremely fine specimens—the 1795 thin planchet, the 1793, 1797, 1798, 1803, 1805, 1808, 1811, 1821 and proofs of 1831, 1838, 1840, 1841, and half cents of 1793, 1795, lettered and thin edge, the former one of the finest known, the rare dates of 1831, 1836, 1852. The other dates are in very fine condition, and will afford the collector of moderate means opportunities to acquire admirable specimens at reasonable prices.

The set of Silver Proof Sets is one of the finest ever sold, commencing in 1854. Mr. Wilson bent his energies, however, upon his gold series, and, as we shall see, with superlative result.

I will publish the catalogue in uniform style with those of the Smith, Mills, Winsor, Cleaney and Bushnell Sales, giving full description of all types, thus making it a work of reference. This book will be of unusual value as a description and criterion of prices for United States gold coins.

The catalogue will be published quarto size, on heavy paper, with broad margins. On account of this, and of the cost of sending it unbroken by express, and to save waste and duplication, thus making it more rare and valuable to the buyer, I follow the usual practice of charging fifty cents for this catalogue. An illustrated edition will be published, with ten plates, five of which will represent gold coins.

Catalogue, expressage prepaid, ...	$ .50
Catalogue sent before sale; price list sent after sale, ...	$1.00
Catalogue with ten plates sent before sale; price list after sale..	$4.00

I would ask collectors who may possess any of the rare gold coins separately mentioned above to do me the favor to inform me, as I am endeavoring to obtain definite knowledge of the number of each existing, instead of estimating it, and if they reply by return mail I may be able to embody the information in the final proofs.

Respectfully yours,

S. H. CHAPMAN, *Numismatist,*

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1st month 24th, 1907.

Mr. Robert Garrett,

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Dear Sir:-

We beg to acknowledge the receipt of your letter enclosing $50 for which we are very much obliged and return receipted bill herewith.

Yours very truly,

S. H. & H. Chapman

February 6th, 1907.

Messrs. S. H. & H. Chapman,

1348 Pine St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sirs:-

There is a small collection of coins owned by P. V. Bergen, 23 Chambers St., Princeton, N. J. I send you this information in case you care to see them when you next visit Princeton.

Yours very truly,

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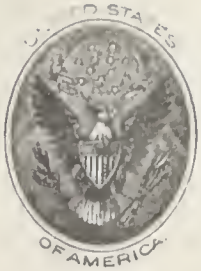
FROM
S. H. CHAPMAN,
DREXEL BUILDING,
PHILADELPHIA.

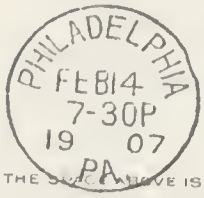
February 14, 1907.

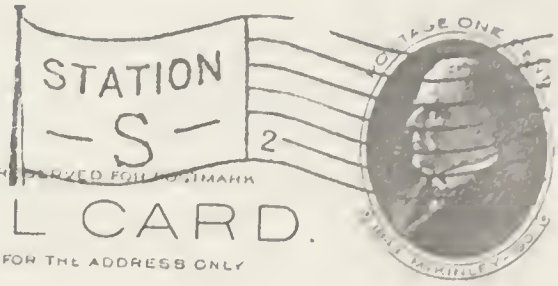
Dear Sir;

Your remittance of $4. in payment of the plate catalogue duly received. More time being required for the plates, have had to make the sale March 13th & 14th. A copy of the plain catalogue will be sent you on Tuesday next, gratis.

S. H. Chapman







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Baltimore,

Md.

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REGISTERED CABLE ADDRESS: "CHAPMAN, PHILADELPHIA."

2nd month 16th, 1907.

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Mr. Robert Garrett,

Dear Sir:-

Your letter of Feb. 9th duly received. I thank you for sending Mr. P. V. Bergen's name to me and the next time in Princet shall take pleasure in calling upon him.

Yours very truly,

S. H. & H. Chapman

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Feb. 18th, 1907.

Mr. S. H. Chapman,

Drexel Bldg., Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

Your postal card of the 14th inst. reached me in due time. I note what you say concerning the date of the sale.

May I ask the reason for the change in the name of your firm, and also what effect if any it will have on the work you are doing in connection with cataloguing the collection of coins in Princeton?

Yours very truly,

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57. February 19, 1907.

Mr. Robert Garrett,

Dear Sir:

Your note of February 18th received. The reason for the change in the name of the firm is, it has been dissolved, but we will continue and fulfill existing contracts, for which we are both willing, and I am advised that such contracts continue binding on all parties, in spite of a dissolution.

We shall carry out the work as if no dissolution had occured, either doing the section to which he may have given the greater attention and which he would have done, had the partnership been continued. I do not think therefore, that it will have any effect upon cataloguing your collection, which we have planned to complete at the timely limit you appointed, two years, or next summer. In a few months, I would like to take up the arrangement with you, of the plates and the general make-up of the catalogue.

In the Wilson Sale, there will be one desirable opportunity for you to obtain about seven years of gold proof sets, which your collection lacks, between the date of your father's death and when you took up the collection. I think the gap is from 1863 to 1869

Yours respectfully, S. H. Chapman.

New York, [illegible]

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Mr. S. H. Chapman,

Philadelphia, Pa.

Dear Sir:-

Will you not send me the key or keys to the coin cases in Princeton that you have in your possession. I want to have it deposited in the library there. At any time you might come to Princeton and might need it you could get it at the desk.

I trust you will be able soon to proceed with the work of the catalogue of our coins. I should like now to have all the material in hand within perhaps a few months so that I may take up the question of having a catalogue printed.

Yours very truly,

[Rob (c)]

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Mr. Robt. Garrett, No. 2

P. S. While looking at our carbon copy of the catalogue of your collection we came across the original of the Patterns from 1865 on and find these had not been separated and sent you in the last installment of the catalogue and we enclose it herewith. We had of course supposed these had been sent you and at the time remembered fully instructing our second stenographer to separate them and send them to you. We saw at the time the patterns began all right and looked at them for several pages and seeing she had taken that far correctly, we supposed the rest were there. We regret the oversight.

Would you wish to purchase a copy of "ISAAC BRIGGS ALMANAC, for the year of Our Lord 1799; being the third after Leap Year. The aftronimical part (which is much more copious than ufual) is adopted to the latitude and medidian of PHILADELPHIA: but may, without material error, be ufed in PENNFYLVANIA, NEW JERFEY and DELAWARE. The felected pieces (of which there is a considerable variety in PROSE and VERSE) have been chofen with care; and nothing inconfiftent with the tenents of FRIENDS is admitted into any part of this work. BALTIMORE: Printed by W. PECHIN, No. 15 Baltimore Street for the AUTHOR."

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5th month 31, 1907.

Mr. Robert Garrett,

Dear Sir:

I have just purchased, and can offer you Gold Proof Sets from 1890 to 1896. I really have the line from 1890 to 1907 inclusive. I believe your collection lacks the sets from 1890 to 1896 inclusive, and as you have so splendid a line, beginning with 1860, I feel that it might be desirable for you to secure those which you lack. As far as I can see, you lack seven sets, I will sell the seven sets for $500, which would be from 1890 to 1896 inclusive.

I recently bought at the Wilson Collection, the sets of 1890, 1891, and 1892 at $105, per set, so you can see my price is really very low.

I have been working desperately on the catalogue of the Stickney Collection, but as soon as it is completed and out, I hope to finish the work which I have already nearly completed on the Foreign Gold Coins in your collection.

Very truly yours,

Henry Chapman Jr.

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June 1, 1907.

Robert H. Garrett, Esq.,

Dear Sir:

Your letter of May 27th. was duly received. Yesterday, I obtained the keys from my brother, who has done some work on the modern, foreign, gold section but at present he is not working on it.

I purpose soon to take up another section, that of the medals.

I send you the two keys herewith. No. 1 is that of the outer door and No. T J 72 is that of the first top drawer.

I note your statement "I should like now to have all the material in hand within a few months so that I may take up the question of having a catalogue printed," and will endeavor to meet your wishes in the matter.

Yours respectfully,

June 17, 1927.

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Mr. Harry Chapman, M.D.,

1346 Pine St., Philadelphia, Pa.

My dear Sir:

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of May 31st enclosing me the Gold Cent Sets from 1856 to 1908, which are quite fine for our collection. At present it is impossible for me to take up this matter and it will therefore be unwise for you to send these sets for me.

I note what you say in the latter part of your letter concerning the work on the foreign gold coins in our collection. I trust you will be able to take up this work very soon so that I may have in hand the necessary data when I am able to consider the matter of having the catalogue printed. This I hope to do within a very few months.

Very very truly,

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6th month 15, 1907.

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Mr. Robert Garrett,

Dear Sir:

Your letter received. I will send you on Monday, with my compliments, a copy of the plate catalogue of the Stickney collection, in which there are many pieces of interest, and if there are any that you wish to add to your big collection, I will be pleased to have your orders. The collection of pattern pieces from 445 to 608 is probably the next largest to your own collection in existance. There are a few pieces that are lacking in your collection, the whole cost of which would not probably exceed $300. It seems to me it might be an opportunity and advisable to add them to your collection and should you agree with me, after examining the catalogue, please advise me as to which and I will examine your collection pieces they are for check. Also permit me to draw your attention to number 418, the great set of Season or Peace Medals issued by George Washington during his second presidency. What the set will now bring at auction is difficult to determine, but I think it is likely they will bring from $300 to $500 per set of six pieces. I shall be very glad to have your permission to purchase them, and believe they would add greatly to your collection. In Colonial Coins there are varieties from number 2 to 31, and if you wish, I will go over the catalogue of your collection and find which number differs to those you possess. I also draw your attention to numbers 37, 97, 112, 113, 114, 339, 341, 342, 363, 374,

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Mr. Robt. Garrett, 2.

The proof sets 1787 to 1797 are worthy of your special attention, many of them are really unique, and the collection of Private or Pioneer or Gold Coins numbers 1851 to 1964 are worthy of your attention, some pieces being of extra rarity. 2001, 2042, 2136, 2180, 2182, 2183, 2184, 2192, 2368, 2369, 2370, 2958, 2961, 2966, 2968, are also worthy of your attention.

Very truly yours,

Henry Chapman

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[illegible], Esq.,

[illegible] Pine St., Philadelphia.

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I beg to thank you for your letter of the 10th inst. and [illegible] the Stickney collection which will probably [illegible] for a week or so. It is absolutely impossible at this time for me to consider the purchase of any of the [illegible] offered to me I am today leaving Baltimore for the Summer. I fear in any case that I shall not be able to purchase any of the [illegible] but when the opportunity offers, possibly in the fall, I shall be glad to go over more carefully the several points that you mention.

Yours very truly,

[illegible]

November 2, 1907.

Mr. Henry Chapman,

1348 Pine St., Philadelphia.

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My dear Mr. Chapman:

Thank you for your letter of the 31st ult. I am interested in the matters to which you refer and should like to go over them with you in Princeton if we can arrange to meet there.

Yours very truly,

[Rob G]

November 8, 1907.

Mr. Henry Chapman,

1347 Pine St., Philadelphia.

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Dear Mr. Chapman:

Thank you for your letter of the 4th inst. I regret that I cannot meet you so soon as you request, but I expect to be in Princeton next week and shall endeavor to notify you.

Yours very truly,

Signed Robert Garrett

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BELL PHONE, WALNUT 2019D.

11th month 7, 1907.

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Mr. Robert Garrett,

Dear Mr. Garrett:

I will be very glad to meet you any day next week. If you desire to see me on Wednesday, I could spend Wednesday and Thursday with you, however, name the day that suits you best and I will meet you. Tuesday I have an appointment I could change if I meet it monday.

Very truly yours,

Henry Chapman

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Baltimore, Md., November 14, 1907.

Mr. Henry Chapman,

134 Pine St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Will be in Princeton today. If you cannot come will advise later when am there again.

Robert Garrett.

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11th month 16, 1907.

Mr. Robert Garrett,

Dear Mr. Garrett:

I carefully went over all the duplicates and found them to run up $928.10, adding to this the $10 Gold pieces $66, gives you a credit of $994.10. The coins purchased and delivered at Princeton amounts to $772.50, leaving a balance in your favor of $221.60. I will send you a check for this amount, if you prefer it, or you may select from the invoice sent herewith. All of the pieces sent you are especially desirable, and I believe different to anything in your collection. The Washington Medals I send as they are particularly desirable items, and in that series your father has one of the finest collections known, but I believe lacks these rarities. It is singular to say that both of the other collectors, Wm. S. Appleton's and Wm. S. Baker's, have both been given to Historical Societies, where they are forever withdrawn from the market.

Very truly yours,

Henry Chapman

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11th month 29th, 1907

Mr. Robert Garrett

Dear Sir:-

I send you herewith on approval 1849 $5. gold Norris Grigg & Norris. You will notice it has a milled edge while the one in your collection has plain edge. It is very seldom to be had, and thought you would probably like to have it.

Did the invoice sent you on the 16th reach you safely?

Yours very truly,

California, Norris, Grigg & Norris 1849, $5. Milled edge

ec $35.

December 16, 1907.

Mr. Henry Chapman,

1348 Pine St., Philadelphia.

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Dear Mr. Chapman:

I am enclosing herewith a letter which I have just received and which I should like to have you look over to see if any of the coins mentioned in it are of value, and if so, what is their approximate worth?

Yours very truly,

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Dear Mr Garrett

Your letter of 16 received today. There is not a single coin on the list that would add to your collection, all being now present in it. Return the letter.

Did you receive the package and registered letter I sent? No hurry about them - only wished to know they had been received.

Have you secured the $20 by St Gaudens with date - Roman Numerals? They are selling at $30. I regret I have not any, but I know where one can be had & probably two at this figure, if you still want a best one, let me know. Do you want one or two? It might be interesting to have two to show both sides. I will have 25 of the low relief tomorrow - will select two for you - at face. Shall I send them on - keep until I next go to Princeton.

Yours very respectfully
Henry Chapman

December 20, 1907

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Mr. Henry Chapman,

[illegible] Pine St., Philadelphia

Dear Mr. Chapman:

Thank you for your letter of December 16th and for the information which you give me concerning the list of coins, about which I inquired.

I am sorry to learn that I did not acknowledge receipt of the package of medals and the registered letter which you sent to me sometime ago. They were both received in due time, though I have not as yet had the opportunity to examine the contents carefully. I shall try to do this very soon, however, and decide whether I desire to purchase them.

Please send on to me one of the St. Gaudens $20 pieces and one of those with the low relief, which I shall be glad to take.

Yours very truly,

December 23, 1904.

Mr. Henry B. Chapman,

1548 Pine St., Philadelphia.

Dear Mr. Chapman

A friend of mine here has inquired of me as to the best method of taking rubbings or impressions of coins. Is there any simple way that you can describe to me in a few words that gives satisfactory results? I trust it will not be troublesome for you to let me have this information.

With best wishes to you for a happy Christmas season,

Yours very truly,

[Rob.(5)]

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12th month 23rd, 1907.

Mr. Robert Garrett,

My Dear Mr. Garrett,

I have just succeeded in getting a superb specimen of the St. Gaudens $20 with date in Roman numerals. They are very scarce indeed and I was bid $31 for one on Saturday in this city. I send herewith:-

1907 St. Gaudens $20 gold piece, first design Roman numerals,	$31.
1907 St. Gaudens $20 gold piece, Arabic numerals	20.
Postage	.14
	$ 51.14

I spent nearly all day Saturday trying to get these pieces. With compliments of the season,

Yours very truly,

Henry Chapman

December 26, 1907.

Mr. Henry S. Chapman.

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1342 Pine St., Philadelphia.

My dear Mr. Chapman

Your letter of the 23rd inst., enclosing the two 1907 St. Gaudens $20 gold pieces, reached me in due time. I am glad to have these pieces. I am sending herewith my check for $61.14 in payment of your statement for same.

Many thanks for your kind wishes, which I assure you are fully reciprocated.

Yours very truly

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December 26, 1907

Mr. Henry L. Chapman

1348 Pine St., Philadelphia

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My dear Mr. Chapman

Your letter of the 23rd inst., enclosing the two 1907 St. Gaudens $20 gold pieces, reached me in due time. I am glad to have these pieces. I am sending herewith my check for $61.14 in payment of your statement for same.

Many thanks for your kind wishes, which I assure you are fully reciprocated.

Yours very truly

(AG)

December 27, 1907.

Mr. Henry C. Gibson,

1344 Pine St., Philadelphia

My dear Mr. Chapman:

Many thanks for your letter of the 25th inst., and enclosure [illegible]. Your method of [illegible] holdings from coins. With the information you give I believe there will be no trouble in obtaining the desired results.

Yours very truly,

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[AG]

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